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FOLLOWING FOR PASS IN ACCORD [REDACTED] 6196 (OUT 57953)

5 AUG 1957, OUTER MONGOLIA AND SIKKIANG PROVINCE, CHINA.

1. UURUMCHI, (TI-HUA), (43° 48'N, 87° 37'E) SIKKIANG PROVINCE:

A. TI-HUA (2) AIRFIELD. BLACKTOP RUNWAY 6000' X 140', ORIENTED ESE/WW. RUNWAY APPEARS SERVICEABLE, BUT NO AIRCRAFT ARE VISIBLE.

B. THERE IS EVIDENCE OF CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY IN UURUMCHI, SUCH AS; SEVERAL MILITARY TRAINING, BILLETING, AND DEPOT AREAS AND A NUMBER OF ACTIVE INDUSTRIAL COMPLEXES IN AND NEAR THE CITY.

C. A THOROUGH SEARCH OF THE AREA IN AND AROUND THE CITY FAILED TO REVEAL A RAILROAD EITHER IN BEING OR UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

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